

(iii) *Re : Death of Sri Allasab in Shorapur due to alleged beating by the Police and to the Indifference of Police Superintendent and Deputy Inspector General of Police*

SRI RAJA PID NAIK (Shorapur).— Madam, I call the attention of the Chief Minister to the death of Sri Allasab in Shorapur due to alleged beating by the Police and to the indifference of Police Superintendent and the Deputy Inspector-General of Police.

SRI D. DEVARAJ URS (Chief Minister).— Madam, I wish to make the following statement :

On 17-6-1977 at about 10-30 p.m. HC 120 and PC 686 of Shorapur during the night rounds found one Allasab, s/o Khaja Sab in his sister-in-law Lalbi, quarrelling in a public place and therefore they brought them to the Police Station and produced before the Police Sub-Inspector, Shorapur. The Sub-Inspector Registered a case in Cr. No. 59/77 u/s 160 Indian Penal Code at about 11-15 p.m., and as one Marappa, s/o Mallappa came to Police Station and offered surety for the above accused, they were released on bail immediately. They were not beaten by the Police. On 18-6-1977 as accused came to the Court late, the charge-sheet against them could not be filed and therefore the Assistant Public Prosecutor Shorapur asked to file the charge-sheet on 20-6-1977 as 19-6-1977 was Sunday. In the meanwhile on 18-6-1977 in the night Allasab had stomach ache and fever, and he died on 19-6-1977 at 9-00 a.m. The dead body was kept at his house for 24 hours awaiting arrival of his wife and relatives and thereafter it was buried at Muslim Grave Yard at Shorapur according to Muslim rights after offering Janaza Namaz. The burial ceremony was attended by the relatives and neighbours and no foul play was suspected by the relatives of the deceased including his wife. Hence the body was not subjected for Post Mortem Examination.

Fifth and sixth Report of the P.A.C.

PRESENTATION

SRI H. D. DEVE GOWDA (Holenarasipur).— Madam, I beg to present :

(i) Fifth Report of the Public Accounts Committee on Appropriation Accounts and Audit Reports for the years 1971-72 and 1972-73 relating to Public Works (other than Major Irrigation Projects) and Municipal Administration Department.